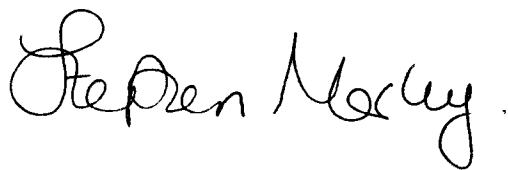


**Portsmouth Water**  
**Draft Drought Plan 2018**  
**Compliance Statement**

In accordance with Section 37B of the Water Industry Act 1991 Portsmouth Water have published a Draft Drought Plan for consultation. This plan does not contain any commercially confidential material and there have been no redactions as a result.

The original plan did contain information that the Secretary of State considered to be contrary to the interests of national security and this has been redacted. This information related to abstraction licence names, which have been replaced by generic titles, and locations which have been removed.

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Stephen Morley". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large initial 'S' and a trailing dot at the end.

Stephen Morley  
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Portsmouth Water